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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final Office Action dated February 15, 2006.

A Fee Authorization form in the amount of \$500.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for filing this Notice of Appeal pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) (large entity). The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fee or other fees which may be necessary to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel PC Deposit Account No. 50-1505/5681-04100/BNK.

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